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Applicant	: Yih CHANG et al.	Confirmation No: 6961
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DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.132

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

We, Yih CHANG and Tien Wang HUANG, hereby declare that we are two of the six joint inventors in the above identified application and are also two of four joint inventors in the co-pending and commonly assigned Application No. 10/630,742 (US Published Patent Application No. 2004/0057864, filed June 31, 2003) over which claims 1-3 of the above-identified application are currently rejected as anticipated under 35 USC 102(e) and over which claims 4-23 of the above identified application are currently rejected as being obvious in combination with US Pat. No. 6,805,977 to Sotoyama.

That, Chin-Hslao CHAO and Hung-Hua CHEN are also joint inventors of the invention claimed in co-pending Application No. 10/630,742 and made an inventive contribution to the claimed subject matter and executed the declaration filed with the application.

That, the subject matter disclosed but not claimed in Application No. 10/630,742, and more specifically, the subject matter disclosed in paragraphs [0002], [0010] and [0014] of Application No. 10/630,742, which was relied upon in support of the §102(e) rejection of claims 1-3 of the above-identified application and the §103(a) rejection of claims 4-23 of the above-identified application, was conceived by us and not Chin-Hslao CHAO and/or Hung-Hua CHEN.

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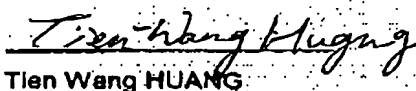
That, the disclosure contained in co-pending Application No. 10/630,742, and more specifically the disclosure set forth in paragraphs [0002], [0010] and [0014] is a description of our own previous work and not the work of Chin-Hsiao CHAO and/or Hung-Hua CHEN.

That, in light of the above statements that the subject matter disclosed in the co-pending application was derived by us and not by "another", co-pending Application No. 10/630,742 does not qualify as prior art under 35 U.S.C. §102(e).

We, the undersigned, do hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.


Yih CHANG

July 7, 2006
Date


Tien Wang HUANG

July 7, 2006
Date